

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims as follows in accordance with the Revised Format of Amendments under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

1 1.(currently amended) A cross connecting stop apparatus comprising:

- 2 a) a plate with a rail, the plate attached to a movable structure, the movable
3 structure having two sides, a top, a bottom, an inside and an outside, wherein the
4 plate is attached to the inside of the movable structure;
5 b) a bolt movably attached to the rail; and
6 c) a mount attached to nonmovable structure on ~~both sides~~ each side of the movable
7 structure wherein the each mount is conformed to receive the bolt on each side of
8 the movable structure and wherein each mount further comprises a disc with an off
9 center bolt receiver opening, the disc movably connected to the mount.

1 2.(canceled)

1 3.(cancelled)

1 4. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the mount is adjustable so as to receive the
2 bolt a distance from the nonmovable structure.

1 5.(original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the mount further comprises a movable bolt
2 receiver.

1 6.(canceled)

1 7.(original) The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a bolt carrier connected to the rail
2 and conformed to movably receive the bolt.

1 8.(original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the movable structure is selected from a group
2 including: windows, doors, double doors, shutters and panels.
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1 9.(currently amended) For a movable structure in a nonmovable structure, the movable
2 structure having a top, bottom, two sides, an inside and an outside, a cross connecting stop
3 apparatus comprising;

- 4 a) a plate with a rail, the plate attached to the inside of the movable structure;
- 5 b) a pair of bolts movably attached to the rail; and
- 6 c) a mount attached to nonmovable structure on each side of the movable structure
7 wherein the each mount is conformed to receive one bolt on each side of the
8 movable structure and wherein the each mount is adjustable so as to receive the
9 bolt a distance from the nonmovable structure and wherein each mount further
10 comprises a disc with an off center bolt receiver opening, the disc movably
11 connected to the mount.

1 10.(canceled)

1 11. (original) The apparatus of claim 9 further comprising a bolt carrier connected to the rail
2 and conformed to movably receive the pair of bolts.

1 12.(original) The apparatus of claim 9 wherein the mount further comprises a movable bolt
2 receiver.

1 13.(canceled)

1 14.(original) The apparatus of claim 9 wherein the movable structure is selected from a
2 group including windows, doors, double doors, shutters and panels.

1 15. (currently amended) For a movable structure in a wall, the movable structure having a
2 top, bottom, two sides, an inside and an outside, a cross connecting stop apparatus
3 comprising;

- 4 a) a plate with a rail, the plate attached to the inside of the movable structure;
- 5 b) a bolt carrier attached to the rail;
- 6 c) a pair of bolts movably contained within the bolt carrier;
- 7 d) a wall mount attached to a wall on each side of the movable structure; and
- 8 e) a movable bolt receiver connected to the each wall mount wherein the movable

1 bolt receiver is conformed to receive one bolt on each side of the movable
2 structure and wherein the movable bolt receiver comprises a disc with an off center
3 bolt receiver opening, the disc movably connected to the wall mount.
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5 16.(canceled)

1 17.(original) The apparatus of claim 15 wherein the movable structure is selected from a
2 group including windows, doors, double doors, shutters and panels.

1 18.(currently amended) A method of stopping the forced entry of a movable structure
2 attached to a nonmovable structure, the movable structure having a top, bottom, two sides,
3 an inside and an outside, the method comprising the ~~step~~ steps of:

4 a) attaching a plate with a rail to the inside of the movable structure;

5 b) attaching a bolt carrier to the rail;

6 c) movably containing a pair of bolts within the bolt carrier;

7 d) attaching a mount to nonmovable structure on each side of the movable structure;

8 e connecting a movable bolt receiver to each mount , the movable bolt

9 receiver conformed to receive one bolt on each side of the movable

10 structure , and movably connecting a disc with an off center bolt receiver opening to
11 each mount;

12 f) moving the pair of bolts into the mount on each side of the movable

13 structure; and

14 g) a) cross connecting the inside of the movable structure to nonmovable structure on
15 each side of the movable structure

1 19.(canceled)

1 20.(canceled)